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DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

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PROBLEMS OF CIVILIANS IN CANTONMENTS
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provides honorarium to the elected representatives in the Cantonment Boards;

(b) if so, the time since when the same is being given;

(c) whether the facilities are on the lines of those given in Panchayats/Municipal Corporations; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) Honorarium is paid to all the elected members of 62 Cantonment Boards with effect from 1st August 2011, as per Government Notification published in the Gazette of India vide SRO 6(E) dated 1st August 2011.

(c) & (d): Panchayats and Municipal Corporations in different States follow different scales of payment of honorarium etc. to their elected representatives. Details of honorarium and other allowances being paid to the elected members of Cantonment Board are given at Annexure-A.